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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Floyd D. "Butch" Peterson, Jr. of Granite City, who passed away on August 4, 2015; and

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WHEREAS, Floyd Peterson, Jr. was born on June 3, 1961 in Granite City; his parents were Floyd D. "Butch" Peterson, Sr. and Sandi (nee Smothers) Peterson; and

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WHEREAS, Floyd Peterson, Jr. graduated from Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville; he subsequently attended law school and earned his law degree from St. Louis University; and

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WHEREAS, Floyd Peterson, Jr. was a lawyer and had worked for various law firms in the metro area; and

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WHEREAS, Floyd Peterson, Jr. served as an umpire and referee for basketball, baseball and football teams in his area for many years; he also enjoyed golfing and spending time with his family and friends; and

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WHEREAS, Floyd Peterson, Jr. is survived by his parents; his loving children, Cari (Marc) Novaria, Brian Peterson, and Kimi Peterson; his siblings, Chris Olden and Brad (Rena)

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1 Peterson; an uncle, Jerry Smothers; his faithful companion,
2 Isaac; and his many nieces, nephews, extended family members,
3 and friends; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his
6 family and friends, mourn the passing of Floyd D. "Butch"
7 Peterson, Jr.; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Floyd Peterson, Jr. as an expression
10 of our sympathy.